

AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY APRIL 6, 2006

AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY MARCH 28, 2006

AMENDED IN SENATE APRIL 27, 2005

AMENDED IN SENATE APRIL 13, 2005

AMENDED IN SENATE MARCH 29, 2005

SENATE BILL

No. 306

Introduced by Senator Ackerman

February 16, 2005

An act relating to the Budget Act of 2005, ~~and making an appropriation therefor.~~ *making an appropriation therefor, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.*

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 306, as amended, Ackerman. Special statewide election expenses.

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(1) *The* Budget Act of 2005 appropriated specified amounts from the General Fund for support of the Secretary of State, including election-related costs.

This bill would appropriate \$9,071,000 for expenditure in the 2005–06 fiscal year in augmentation of these Budget Act appropriations for the purpose of covering expenses incurred by the Secretary of State's office related to the special statewide election held November 8, 2005.

(2) *The bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute.*

Vote: $\frac{2}{3}$. Appropriation: yes. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. The sum of nine million seventy-one thousand
2 dollars (\$9,071,000) is hereby appropriated for expenditure in the
3 2005–06 fiscal year in augmentation of Item 0890-001-0001 of
4 Section 2.00 of the Budget Act of 2005 (Chapter 38 of the
5 Statutes of 2005) for the purpose of covering expenses incurred
6 by the Secretary of State’s office related to the special statewide
7 election held November 8, 2005. The amount appropriated is
8 scheduled with Item 0890-001-0001 of the Budget Act of 2005
9 as follows:

10 (a) Personal services, seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000).

11 (b) Operating expenses and equipment, three hundred
12 eighty-four thousand dollars (\$384,000).

13 (c) Special items of expense, eight million six hundred
14 fourteen ~~thousand~~ twelve thousand dollars (~~\$8,614,000~~) (\$8,612,000).

15 SEC. 2. *This act is an urgency statute necessary for the*
16 *immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety*
17 *within the meaning of Article IV of the Constitution and shall go*
18 *into immediate effect. The facts constituting the necessity are:*

19 *In order for the Secretary of State to carry out the regularly*
20 *scheduled statewide primary election in June 2006, an*
21 *appropriation must be provided as soon as possible to reimburse*
22 *the Secretary of State for the costs expended for the November*
23 *2005 special statewide election. It is therefore necessary that this*
24 *act take effect immediately.*